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U.S. patent No. 6,138,629 is in the English language. No discussion of this document is required.

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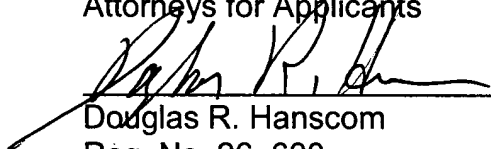
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Respectfully submitted,

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